

रेल यात्रा सुविधा

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या तो I-वातानुकूल/वातानुकूल स्लीपर में 2 शायिकाओं या वातानुकूल 3 टियर में 4 शायिकाओं का उपयोग कर सकते हैं। यह प्रतिबंध अन्य श्रेणियों और अन्य गाड़ियों में यात्रा करने पर लागू नहीं होगा।

(ख) यात्रा की श्रेणी

(i) रेल द्वारा — I वातानुकूल और/या II वातानुकूल

(ii) हवाई जहाज द्वारा — सरकारी कार्य के दौरान एक्जीक्यूटिव क्लास

**Ticketless rail travel in the name of M.Ps.**

614. MISS SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of the news-item captioned "Self-styled M.Ps. derailed for ticketless travel" which appeared in the Hindustan Times of December 3, 1998, regarding ticketless rail travel in the name of M.Ps.;

(b) whether it is a fact that such wrong practice had been prevailing for long;

(c) if so, the loss to the exchequer and the steps taken to check it; and

(d) whether Government propose to call for a meeting of leaders of all political parties and arrive at a decision to check this practice?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI RAM NAIK): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Some instances have come to notice.

(c) Any person found travelling without proper authority to travel is dealt with under the Provisions of Railway Act which include collection of railway dues along with penalty, handing over to the

concerned authorities for prosecution etc. Since, dues of the Government are realised from such passengers or the persons are prosecuted, the loss on this account can not be quantified.

(d) There is no such proposal at present.

**Accidents at unmanned railway crossings**

615. SHRI ONKAR SINGH LAKHAWAT: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of accidents which took place at unmanned Railway crossings during the last three years and the number of persons killed therein;

(b) the amount of compensation provided for those dead and to the injured persons; and

(c) the state-wise number of unmanned crossings in the country at present?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI RAM NAIK): (a) Number of accidents at unmanned level crossings, and number of persons killed in these accidents during the last three years are given below:—

| Year                       | No. of<br>Accidents | No. of<br>persons<br>Killed |
|----------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1996-97                    | 45                  | 172                         |
| 1997-98                    | 50                  | 126                         |
| 1998-99<br>(upto Jan., 99) | 41                  | 115                         |

\* Figure for 1998-99 is provisional.

(b) Amount of compensation paid by Railways for last three years is given below:—

| Year                         | Compensation<br>Paid in<br>Rupees |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1996-97                      | 359001                            |
| 1997-98                      | 105000                            |
| 1998-99<br>(Upto Jan., 1999) | 178400                            |

The amount of compensation paid during the year relates to the number of cases settled and payment made during that year and not the accidents that occurred during the year.

(c) At present, there are 24313 unmanned level crossing in the country. Statistics of level crossings State-wise is given below:—

| S.No. | States           | No. of<br>unmanned<br>level cross-<br>ings |
|-------|------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| 1.    | Assam            | 1020                                       |
| 2.    | Andhra Pradesh   | 1548                                       |
| 3.    | Bihar            | 1927                                       |
| 4.    | Delhi            | 5                                          |
| 5.    | Gujarat          | 2930                                       |
| 6.    | Haryana          | 523                                        |
| 7.    | Himachal Pradesh | 290                                        |
| 8.    | Jammu & Kashmir  | 36                                         |
| 9.    | Karnataka        | 1061                                       |
| 10.   | Kerala           | 226                                        |
| 11.   | Madhya Pradesh   | 1771                                       |
| 12.   | Maharashtra      | 1533                                       |

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|-----|---------------|------|
| 13. | Manipur       | 1    |
| 14. | Mizoram       | 1    |
| 15. | Orissa        | 1141 |
| 16. | Punjab        | 1092 |
| 17. | Rajasthan     | 2223 |
| 18. | Tamilnadu     | 1566 |
| 19. | Tripura       | 23   |
| 20. | Uttar Pradesh | 3778 |
| 21. | West Bengal   | 1603 |
| 22. | Chandigarh    | 2    |
| 23. | Pondicherry   | 9    |
| 24. | Goa           | 3    |
| 25. | Nagaland      | 1    |

TOTAL: 24313

रेल परियोजनाओं के निर्माण कार्य का पूरा होना

616. श्री कपिल सिब्बल:

श्री राज मोहिन्दर सिंह:

क्या रेल मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या यह सच है कि कतिपय परियोजनाओं की चालू वित्तीय वर्ष के दौरान ही पूरी हो जाने की संभावना थी, जैसा कि पहले तय हुआ था;

(ख) यदि हाँ, तो 1998-99 के दौरान कौन-कौन सी परियोजनाओं का निर्माण-कार्य पूरा होना निर्धारित था;

(ग) क्या इन सभी परियोजनाओं का निर्माण-कार्य चालू वर्ष के दौरान पूरा हो जाने की संभावना है; और

(घ) यदि नहीं, तो वे कौन-कौन सी परियोजनाएं हैं जो पूरी नहीं हो जाएंगी और उन्हें कब तक पूरा करने का लक्ष्य है?

रेल मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री, संसदीय कार्य मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री तथा योजना और कार्यक्रम कार्यान्वयन मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री राम नाईक): (क) जी हाँ।

(ख) 1998-99 के दौरान पूरी होने वाली परियोजनाओं का ब्यौर निम्नानुसार है:

नई लाइनें

(i) गोलपारा-गुवाहाटी

(ii) तालचेर-सम्बलपुर

आधान परिवर्तन

(i) नरकटियागंज-वाल्मीकिनगर

(ii) वाल्मीकिनगर-खड़डा

(iii) गोडिया-चांदा फोर्ट